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**From:** Tomten, Dave  
**Sent:** Thur 8/13/2015 2:49:38 PM  
**Subject:** RE: URGENT: We need to develop a list by the end of this week

We are doing a full day short course called Mining 101. What I sent was a new module that I'll do at the end of the day. I'll steer clear of Gold King. I like to talk about sites where I have first-hand experience anyway.

Dave

**From:** Sheldrake, Beth  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 12, 2015 5:41 PM  
**To:** Tomten, Dave  
**Subject:** RE: URGENT: We need to develop a list by the end of this week

Thanks, Dave. Your insight is helpful as usual and you are spot on, releases can happen at any mine at any time. Blame the Mining Act of 1872, not EPA!

I kept meaning to ask you what you were presenting on at the Tribal Land's Forum.

Deliberative Process/Ex. 5

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We might be talking tomorrow.

Beth

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Beth –

FYI. I sent this to Ken earlier today.  
Dave

**From:** Tomten, Dave  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 12, 2015 1:18 PM  
**To:** Marcy, Ken; Hood, Lynne; Godsey, Cindi  
**Cc:** Wernitz, James  
**Subject:** RE: URGENT: We need to develop a list by the end of this week

Ken

Thanks for narrowing the scope. I'd like to make a few points.

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As always, call if Q's.

Dave

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**To:** Tomten, Dave; Hood, Lynne; Godsey, Cindi  
**Subject:** FW: URGENT: We need to develop a list by the end of this week  
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Doolan, Mark; Forren, John; Forrest, Sabrina; Geselbracht, Jeanne; Godsey, Cindi; Goodrick, John; Grandinetti, Cami; Hanley, Jim; Hardy, Michael; Hathaway, Ed; Hillenbrand, John; Hood, Lynne; Housman, Van; Hudiburgh, Gary; Jackson, Brad; Jenkins, Joy; Jessop, Carter; Byrne, Jim; Johnson, Brent; Long, Larry; Lavaty, Ann; Lazorchak, Jim; Lensink, Andy; Lesser, Ben; Ellis, Lisa; Low, Seth; Mahmud, Shahid; Mahoney, Michele; Manoyan, Simon; Marcy, Ken; Mayer, Kevin; Miller, Anna; Egidi, Philip; Progeess, Christina; Purcell, Mark; Riley, Gary; Root, Charlie; Roy, Stephen; Russell, Carol; Teichert, Candice; Teitelbaum, Daniel; Tiago, Joseph; Tomten, Dave; Watt, Jamey; Wilkening, Matt

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**Importance:** High

Folks,

I am working at the Emergency Operations Center related to the Gold King Mine spill. As you know, Gina McCarthy is in Colorado and meeting with three attorney generals. Jim Woolford is going to have a call with the Division Directors and will be sending out an email stating the following:

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Site Name

Location

Mine Features

Features containing water

Do the mine bearing features have:

Controls in-place (plugs, hydraulic drawdown)

No controls in place

No hydraulic issues

There may be more information but I need to jump on to another call. Thanks!

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